

(Associated Press)

NEW YORK, March 4—Cotton futures opened firm. March 19.24; May 18.65; July 18.00; October 17.34; December 17.07.

ALBANY-DECATUR DAILY

DEVOTED TO THE INTERESTS AND UPBUILDING OF ALBANY-DECATUR

"THE GATEWAY TO ALABAMA"

(Associated Press)

WASHINGTON, March 4—Alabama: Probably rain tonight and Friday. Slowly rising temperature.

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SENATE AGAIN REFUSES TO VOTE ON SHOALS

BREAK IN MARKET IS NOT ALARMING, SECRETARY'S VIEW

Mellon Thinks Drop Is Natural Reaction To Speculation

FALL IN PRICES CHECKED TODAY

Banking Support Aids In Recovery Of Railroad Shares

(Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, March 4—The break in the stock market is not regarded with alarm by Secretary Mellon, who believes it is the natural reaction of excessive speculation.

The Secretary's views outlined today at the treasury, are that the reaction will have a wholesome effect, that fundamental conditions and property will not be disturbed. He regards the slump as extremes, set-backs are in order.

Slumps and booms follow each other, the secretary holds, until a normal position is found. In all periods of prosperity, he contends, temporary set-backs are natural. The present fluctuations in the stock market, he believes, might be regarded as more extreme because of the larger volume of speculation, but he does not consider them any more permanent.

STOCKS RALLY

NEW YORK, March 4—The reactionary movement in stock prices, which has continued uninterruptedly for over a week, and has reduced the quoted value of securities by over \$1,000,000,000 was checked, at least temporarily today, when strong banking support was provided for a long list of high grade railroad and industrial shares.

A rally of one to seven points followed the initial outburst of buying, with trading again in enormous volume. One hopeful sign seen by stock market observers was the fact that large blocks of stock were no longer pressed for sale, regardless of bids and that practically all the large individual transactions were on the side of rising prices.

The rally was most pronounced in the railroad shares and high priced specialties which bore the brunt of the selling attack in yesterday's record breaking session. General Electric was bid up eight points, United States Cast Iron Pipe seven to 171 and American Can seven to 198 before the end of the first hour.

American Smelting, Allied Chemical, Woolworth Int., Telephone, White Trucks and S. S. Kresge sold four to five points above yesterday's final quotations. Heavy buying of the Van Sweringen railroad shares probably was inspired by intimation of its financial sponsors that the proposed Nickle plate merger would not be abandoned as a result of the adverse interstate commerce commission decision on the original plan.

Chesapeake and Ohio group, the only other spot in that group yesterday was quickly run up three and a half points on special buying, presumably influenced by the belief its stockholders would receive better times under the new plan.

Farmers Told To Draft Own Bill

(Associated Press)

WASHINGTON, March 4—Representatives of farmers in the middle western states were instructed today by the house agricultural committee to draft a farm relief bill. Members of the committee pointed out that although the delegates appointed by the Des Moines agricultural conference, who appeared today, had endorsed in principle the Dickinson bill, to stabilize the price of surplus crops by a fund collected from farmers on a small sales tax, they had favored a number of amendments.

The committee wants a concrete plan, complete in detail. The delegates agreed to submit a rough outline of a measure in a day or two.

In Gem Theft



Alleging that he was posing as a millionaire at an expensive New York hotel upon the proceeds of a \$25,000 jewel robbery and other thefts in which New York and Philadelphia society people were the victims, police arrested Walter Carney, a butler.

FIRE CHIEF'S CAR CRASHES INTO CURB

Sorber Has a Narrow Escape When Wheel Is Crushed

W. H. Sorber, chief of the Albany fire department, had a narrow escape from serious injury late Wednesday afternoon, when his automobile crashing into the curb on the Danville road as he was accompanying the Decatur department to answer an alarm turned in from Butler residence on Eleventh avenue.

EDWARDS SPEAKS TO HI-Y MEMBERS

First of Series Given In Address By Local Pastor

The Albany Hi-Y club held an interesting session at its regular weekly meeting at the Y. M. C. A., O. S. Hagerman conducting the devotionals and S. E. Arvidson leading the musical program.

After a short business session, the regular program was undertaken, Rev. Noble R. Edwards, pastor of the First Christian church, delivering the first address of a series, the subject for this week being "Faith." He stressed the necessity for faith in ourselves, faith in others and faith in God.

The series will be continued one month, the topic for next week being "Prayer." The following week the topic will be "Jesus Christ My Personal Savior," and the series will be ended with "Decision Day," one week later.

Health Officials Close Two Places

Chief Thrasher, of the state bureau of inspection, and Inspector Gurley, of the Morgan county health unit, have served notice on two establishments here to close their doors until conditions are improved, and the sanitation bettered. One of the places banned was a cafe and the other a confectionary store, it was stated.

KIWANIS UNIT PLANS TO HAVE THE ENTIRE MEMBERSHIP VISIT

Somerville Folk Are Enthusiastic Over Coming Event

FARM LEADERS SPEAK TODAY

Club Trying To Have a Better Understanding County Problems

The neighboring city of Somerville will be host to the Albany-Decatur Kiwanis club next Thursday evening, plans having been developed by the Farm Relations committee, working with citizens of Somerville who are desirous of having the club visit that point, in the interests of better Morgan County farm and business conditions.

Plans were concluded today at the regular weekly meeting of the Kiwanis club, gathered at the Y. M. C. A. for luncheon and the engendering of good fellowship spirit. The meeting was opened with song led by Marvin Rankin. At the conclusion of a neatly served and bountiful luncheon the club was drilled in songs which will be presented at Somerville next Thursday evening.

G. D. Williamson spoke briefly on attendance at the regular meetings and saw a climbing attendance record in most cases. Fred S. Hunt spoke briefly of Farm Relations plans as developed for the Somerville trip. Mr. Hunt urged that every member of the club attend at the first meeting of the year, believing that the success or failure of the entire movement will be resultant from the first gathering.

John Patterson, working with the Farm Relations committee, outlined the plans for the coming Thursday, placing five members to an automobile and including the entire membership in the trip.

Word from the Somerville section is most encouraging, the people of that neighboring little city being enthusiastic over the prospect for the visit.

The Kiwanis club is going forward this year in an effort to capitalize upon the good spirit that was built last year by the visits of the membership in his county, feeling that through a better understanding between farm and city citizens of county problems that there will be greater effort made toward solution of such problems.

POWER COMPANY RETURNED VICTOR

Damage Case Likely To Be Taken To a Higher Court

A decision in favor of the defendant was given Wednesday afternoon in circuit court in the case of Mrs. Eva Stroup, plaintiff, who claimed damages in the sum of \$2,500 against the Alabama Power company. The case of Willie Stroup, her husband, claiming \$25,000 damages, was continued. It is stated that the case is likely to be taken to a higher court.

The two cases, which resulted in the claim of damages by the Stroups in the death of their infant at birth when the electric light current is said to have been cut off, caused considerable interest in this part of the state as people understood that legal opinion upon the extent of responsibility of a public service corporation for interruptions of service, if any, was expected to be given.

The case brought a large number of witnesses of the Alabama Power company from other cities, they having worked here at the time the unfortunate incident took place and more recently having been transferred to other cities.

HUNTSVILLE YOUTH HELD IN CONNECTION WITH BRYANT CASE

Charles Lloyd Denies Any Implication In Tragedy

ARREST MADE BY OFFICER WEST

Floyd Is Taken While Attending Movie Performance

An 18-year old Huntsville youth, giving the name of Charles E. Lloyd, was held in the Morgan county jail today in connection with the killing of T. A. Bryant, Albany merchant, who was fatally wounded while resisting an attempt at robbery several weeks ago.

Lloyd was arrested last night in Huntsville by J. M. West, who has been working on the case. Efforts are being made to identify the youth, who strenuously denies any implication in the tragedy.

Relatives of the defendant were to arrive here during the day from Huntsville and it was expected that they would launch an immediate fight to regain his liberty.

Officer West has been at work on the Bryant case for sometime and has followed a number of clues. Last night he went to Huntsville and Lloyd was placed under arrest while attending a performance at a moving picture theatre there.

In a statement to newspaper men, Lloyd insisted that he had been in the employ of the Buford Construction company "off and on" for several years and that he was working for them at the time of the Bryant tragedy and for several days thereafter.

Mr. Bryant was shot down in his store on East Market street on February 20, when he attempted to prevent a young white bandit from raiding the cash drawer. He was attacked also by the bandit with a meat cleaver and, though given every medical attention at the Benevolent hospital, where he had been rushed, he died within a few days as a result of his wounds.

After threatening to "meet in h—" any who might follow him, the bandit is said to have jumped into a Ford coupe and to have driven rapidly away in the direction of the Bee Line highway.

Board of Trustees Will Meet Friday

The board of trustees of the Benevolent hospital will hold an important meeting Friday afternoon, and the attendance of every member was urged. The meeting will be held in the directors room of the Morgan County National bank, and the building plans for the hospital will be discussed at that time. It was announced today by Mrs. John D. Wyker, secretary.

Today:

By ARTHUR BRISBANE. (Copyright, 1926 By The Star Co. For Albany-Decatur Daily.)

SIGHS, groans and liquidating Wall street. You have seen a good farm housewife shake out a tablecloth and its crumbs to the chickens in the back yard.

Similarly, Wall Street housewives of high finance are shaking out the little crumb speculators. Out they go by the thousands. Later those Wall Streeters in the stocks and the game will start up again.

Don't be frightened out of your stocks, if you bought the right kind and are able to hold them and own them.

A NATION voluntarily buying

MARK CUNNINGHAM IDENTIFIED AS MAN WHO LURED SCOTT

Wife Says Defendant Returned to Home and Attacked Her

STATE SCORES IN MECHANIC'S TRIAL

Pathetic Story Is Told On Witness Stand By Mrs. Scott

(Associated Press)

ANNISTON, Ala., March 4.—Interest in the trial of Mark Cunningham, Gadsden automobile mechanic, reached its peak today when Mrs. Lum Scott, on the witness stand, testified that the defendant was the man who lured her husband from his home on the night he was slain, and later attacked her.

Mrs. Scott, was very weak from effects of the alleged attack. She testified that after Cunningham had deceived her husband on pretense a motorist needed his aid to take a car from the mud, he returned to her home and made improper advances. When she repulsed the man, she said he struck her with a hammer.

She lay in a hospital for days, seriously wounded. The state attempted to show that an intended attack upon Mrs. Scott was the motive for the kidnapping and slaying of her husband.

Several witnesses from the Ohatchie community, where the Scotts lived, testified that Cunningham, on the Sunday before the slaying, had inquired directions as to how to reach Scott's home.

Mrs. Scott, in weak voice, told a pathetic story. She was positive in her identification of the defendant. She was too ill yesterday to attend court but her physician allowed her to take the stand today. Her presence was the occasion for the assembling of a great crowd about the county building.

National City Bank Adds Trust Firm

(Associated Press)

NEW YORK, March 4.—A merger of the National City Bank of New York and the People's Trust company, of Brooklyn, bringing together two institutions with combined resources of \$1,291,000,000 and deposits of \$989,430,000 was announced today.

The consolidation strengthens the position of the National City organization as the country's largest bank.

Troxler Accepts Call To Pastorate

Rev. John A. Troxler of Mayfield, Ky., has accepted the call to become pastor of Westminster Presbyterian church, officers of that church have been advised. Rev. Troxler is expected to come here early in April to assume his new duties.

Groans, Liquidating Mellon Goes Shopping Strange Lady Cynthia Mushing for Gold

nearly a billion of its own debt as a minor incident, hasn't finished with its boom.

Secretary Mellon will buy and retire one hundred million worth of the third Liberty Loan bearing 4 1/4 per cent, as part of his spring financing.

Also six hundred and sixteen millions of treasury notes will be paid cutting down the nation debt seven hundred and sixteen million dollars. Our European friends reading that will be more than ever bitter about "Uncle Sam Swollen with

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Whose Daughter?



Princess Lippi-Lipski, wife of a former page in the court of the late Czar of Russia, defended a suit for \$100,000 filed against her in New York by Mrs. Lydia Agnes Stover, who claimed the Princess denied Mrs. Stover was her mother.

RICH'S CHARGE TO BE REITERATED

Additional Statement After Funeral Plan of His Relatives

(Associated Press)

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., March 4.—Relatives of Abraham T. Rich, who killed himself Tuesday, today announced they expected to sue a statement concerning events which are believed responsible for the man's act, after his funeral is held.

Completion of funeral arrangements was held in abeyance, pending arrival of Mr. Rich's mother, Mrs. M. Rich from New York, Mr. Rich, who was secretary-treasurer of the Ahrens-Rich Auto company, died by his own hand Tuesday, a scant two hours after filing of a bankruptcy petition for his firm.

A note, found on his body, charged State Senator Walter Brower with driving him to desperation in the handling of several accounts. On the heels of publication of the dead man's accusation, Charles Ahrens, his partner, reiterated the charge and made the further assertion that Brower had threatened his partner "with typical violence through the medium of a local organization known as the Ku Klux Klan."

Ahrens stated further that Rich had become so nervous Sunday over the threats that he had asked him (Ahrens) to accompany him home for the night, which he did. In addition to a statement issued by relatives of the dead man, an independent statement regarding the relations between his father and Brower is planned by John Rich, son of A. P. Rich, Mr. Ahrens stated today.

Contents of the statement will be made public immediately.

Statements denying that he, in any way, threatened Rich have been issued by Brower. No inquest has been held, as yet, by Coroner J. D. Russum and the matter has not been officially notified. Solicitor Jim Davis refused to make a statement until the matter was brought to his attention officially.

COOLIDGE FAVORABLE

(Associated Press)

WASHINGTON, March 4.—After a visit to the white house today Chairman Morin, of the house military committee, indicated that President Coolidge would approve legislation carrying out the five year aircraft program submitted by the war department.

INDICATION GIVEN HOWEVER BALLOT PASSIBLE FRIDAY

Requests of Heflin To Set Time Definitely Are Waived Aside

NO FILIBUSTER OPPONENTS SAY

All Efforts To Shut Off Debate Meet With Failure

(Associated Press)

WASHINGTON, March 4.—Efforts to fix a definite time for the senate to vote on the Muscle Shoals resolution failed today. Several requests of Senator Heflin, democrat, of Alabama for unanimous consent to set a time to vote, ranging all the way from today to next Monday, met with objections.

Finally he yielded to the suggestion of Senator Smith, democrat of South Carolina, to wait until tomorrow when a better line could be obtained on the proposed discussions.

Chairman Norris, of the senate agriculture committee, leader of the opposition, declared there was no disposition to delay the vote and that it probably could be obtained tomorrow.

On the other hand Senator Howell, republican, Nebraska, asserted he knew of a number of senators who wished to speak at length and he would oppose any suggestion to shut off debate.

Senator Heflin explained that Senator Underwood, democrat of Alabama, who is confined to his home by illness wished to be present when the vote was called and he hoped to be able to notify him in time.

He explained that only 26 days now remain until April 1 when the proposed joint congressional committee would be required to recommend a lease of Muscle Shoals to congress. He asserted that three fourths of the senate was in favor of the resolution and they should be allowed to vote.

Spokesmen for the opposition disclaimed any plan for a filibuster, but declined to set a time to vote.

They also blocked an attempt by Senator Fess, republican, Ohio, to limit debate to 15 minutes for each senator. The vote to close debate was postponed until tomorrow, although Senator Robinson, the democratic leader, supported Senator Heflin's request. Objections were registered by Senators Smith, South Carolina, George, Georgia, democrats, Howell, and Norris, republicans, Nebraska.

COUNTESS AWAITS TRIAL IN HER HOTEL

Will Be Surrendered Only Half An Hour Before Hearing

(Associated Press)

NEW YORK, March 4.—The Countess of Cathcart will be surrendered by her counsel to the immigration authorities half an hour before the hearing of the habeas corpus proceedings brought in her behalf, is called tomorrow.

This decision was announced today following an agreement reached by Theodore H. Risley, assistant secretary of labor, and the Countess' counsel, Arthur Garfield Hays. The ten-day liberty granted to the countess, after she had been ordered excluded from the country on grounds of moral turpitude. She has not reported at Ellis island and said she would remain at her hotel until sent for by immigration authorities.

TWO ARE FINED

O. F. Loosier and J. L. Proctor, well known business men, were fined \$25 and costs in the Albany police court this morning as result of an altercation between them Wednesday afternoon in the business district. Neither was hurt severely.

SATAN IN SABLES

By Bradley King

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"Satan in Sables" with Lowell Sherman is a picturization of this novel.

SYNOPSIS

Prince Michael Yeredoff, wealthy Russian philanthropist in Paris, becomes interested in Colette, pretty street dancer. Michael's younger brother, Paul, whom he has always shielded from a fast life, is tempted by Dolores, one of Michael's cast-offs, who sees in the innocent boy a tool for revenge against Michael. Colette finds the priceless Yeredoff emerald accidentally entangled in her dress. She plans to return it, but is thwarted by Emile, her Apache brother-in-law, who coerces her by threatening to take away from her his motherless son Billy, who is the apple of "Aunt Colette's" eye.

CHAPTER III—Continued

"Bravo, Billy! See, Mr. Swan is coming back for more!" cried Colette. While Billy continued to feed the swan, some instinct that told Colette she was being watched made her turn to find herself face to face with Ninon and Freddy Briskin.

With a confused little bow, Colette would have moved away but Freddy was not to be denied.

"Why, it's Columbine!" he exclaimed in pleased surprise. "I don't believe I shall ever forget that wonderful dance we had together, little one. Every bone in my body aches right now—with the kind of ache that wants for more!"

"We all enjoyed your dancing, Mademoiselle," Ninon said with a grudging smile. "I hope you've recovered from your little spell of—er—indisposition."

"Completely, thank you—and, oh! my good friends, a thousand pardons that I made such a scene!"

Freddy held up a lightly deprecating hand, as for Ninon, her attention had switched to Billy.

"What a pretty little boy! Is he yours?" she purred, in the manner of a cat gingerly picking



She breathed a sigh of relief when the emerald was once again in her hands.

its way across a shelf-full of thin cocktail glasses.

Colette's reply came brightly, in tones of proud compassion: "No, he is my nephew. But since his mother's death I have been bringing him up—so I guess I can almost say that he is mine."

"Oh!" said Ninon.

"Plucky little beggar!" enthused Freddy, admiringly.

"I don't know what I should do about him," Colette went on simply. "For he is all of my happiness—my life!"

Ninon appraised Colette covertly, recalling Michael's theories about the past "Columbine" and wondering whether that little, lean-of-the-world had read aright the social situation of the little dancer. Ninon in that moment had a vivid mental glimpse of Colette's struggle in life—her fight against odds. Life to any girl without means in Paris was a bitter fight; and for one to bring up an orphaned child in addition was a voluntary addition to the load—a gesture of self-sacrifice that Ninon could not understand, but could appreciate. Suddenly Ninon felt a warm flood of admiration for the brave and big soul in the slender little girl that stood before her.

And when Ninon bade Colette good-bye a moment later—after patting Billy's apple-cheek and placing in his little fist a glistening two-franc piece that Freddy had impulsively dug out of his pocket—there was a genuine ring of cordiality and sincerity in the words and smile of the fashionable girl that touched Colette. It seemed to the shabby little girl that Ninon, with feathers and poise as queenly as the stately swans upon the lake—and who, doubtless, for the mere asking, had everything that women desire in the world—sympathized with her, and appreciated the grim battle that she had to put up for what little she attained.

Sundown had purpled the Euse before Colette and Billy left for

home; when they arrived at their humble door, pitch darkness was making its usual nightly mockery of the meagre and impotent street lamps of Paris' poorer sections.

Colette's heart pounded to find that Emile was still sleeping—sounder, more abandoned, than before. Trembling but resolute and eager in her determination, Colette lost no time in giving Billy his bowl of bread and milk and bundling him off to bed with a tender injunction to dream of the swans and the oaks and the green fields, where some day they—Billy and Aunt—would live.

Then Colette, alone, was left awake in the barren little flat, to wait out the desperate destiny of her unswerving connection with the innocently acquired Yeredoff emerald.

To gain possession of the jewel, which was now locked in Emile's bureau, was Colette's sole thought. After vainly racking her brain, the hopelessness of getting the emerald, without rousing him and invoking the punishment of his brute force upon her helpless head, forced itself on her.

She decided that the best and only thing to do was to wait until he went out with the gem in his possession. She would follow, and then, if her appeals were of no avail, she would summon a gendarme and have Emile arrested, in spite of the aftermath that she dreaded.

Sitting there in the semi-darkness of poor gaslight, she prayed that this course of final resort would not be necessary, for she knew that Emile would wreak his vengeance on her through little Billy.

—knew, too, that her life henceforth would be a frightful hell.

Was her prayer to be answered, she wondered, when a sudden knock came at the door that opened directly to Emile's room from the outside hallway landing.

She crept silently to his inner door, and heard him answer sleepily. It was an Apache friend, enjoining him to come to the corner immediately as one, Decline, was awaiting him there. Emile jumped out of bed with an oath. A few seconds later, Colette saw him go out on the hallway landing without taking the emerald—heard him go downstairs with his companion, and out.

Colette's path was now clear! Rushing into Emile's room, she tugged at the locked drawer, but without avail. Frantically, she procured a hammer, and forced the drawer open. She breathed a sigh of relief when the emerald was once again in her hands.

Hastily, she went out—pausing on her way downstairs to ask the woman below to look after Billy.

Gaining the street level hallway at last, Colette opened the front door cautiously—holding her breath, clutching the emerald to her thumping breast, until she made sure that Emile and his fellow Apaches were nowhere in sight. Then she quickly ran out into the street and was swallowed by the blackness of the Paris night.

CHAPTER FOUR

Meanwhile, that "morning after" had not begun auspiciously for Michael. Upon awakening he asked, "What time is it, Sergius?"

"Eleven o'clock, Monsieur," the servant replied in his precise fashion as he commenced to lay out his master's clothes.

"No sooner do I lay my head on the pillow than it is time to get up again! Has my brother arisen?"

"Yes, Monsieur, he has had his breakfast and is in the library."

"Then I must hurry!"—and Michael jumped out of bed.

As he made his toilet, events of the preceding night came to him and upset his frame of mind. First, there was the serious loss of the Yeredoff emerald to upset him. The priceless jewel had been in his family for many years—now he was the unlucky one ordained to lose it. Examining his watch, he noticed that the gold ring that attached it to his foot was broken. Why, then, if the emerald had just dropped off—hadn't it been found? Michael had given orders for the servants to search everywhere, but their efforts were unsuccessful. Much as he disliked the thought, everything seemed to indicate that it had been stolen.

But by whom?

Colette's admiration for the emerald, and her questions about it, came to him. True, he distinctly remembered that she had given it back to him after she had inspected it. Still, that was the only time he had taken the watch out of his pocket.

Had "Columbine" stolen it? Her fainting, her sudden disappearance, seemed to point out a bad case against the little girl. Yet, something in Michael's heart made him try to check the legitimate suspicions raised by his common sense.

"Was Ninon right after all?" he asked himself. "Was Colette just an ordinary gamin—a thief? Well, if so, my judgment of human nature has been sadly fooled for once!"

(To be continued)

Moulton News

An even dozen good citizens of Lawrence county have begun appeals to the citizens for their votes, it is rumored that others expect soon to enter the lists. At present the position of sheriff seems the most popular since five men are asking for it one of whom openly announces over his name that he is strictly for enforcement of the prohibition—as of all laws and another emphasizes that in his public utterances, all others content themselves with the usual formal announcement but being good men all are in for a strong race. Three men, including the present incumbent, desire to collect the taxes and two have aspirations for assessing them the one at present holding the office. So far but one has called for the legislature and one for the senate.

Judge W. R. Jackson, probate judge for Lawrence county has purchased the Judge Kumpe residence in Moulton of Miss Ola Kumpe now living in Birmingham. The handsome two story structure was built by Judge J. C. Kumpe a few years before his death and is one of the best buildings in the town or the county. The home is surrounded by many fine young trees planted there by Judge Kumpe while living in the old home.

A father and his two sons are in the Lawrence County jail with one son out on bond following an attempt to escape marshal Paul Pickens Tuesday afternoon on alleged violation of the prohibition law; the four with a negro were arrested after they had attempted flight.

Mrs. O. L. Judy was called to Asheville, North Carolina Tuesday evening by a telegram saying that her step-daughter, Miss Mary Cecil Judy, daughter of one of the bankers in Moulton, was rapidly sinking and could not be expected to live long. Miss Judy was a teacher in the county schools and a recent graduate of the Florence Normal.

J. Clyde Murphrey of Pulaski, is to fill his monthly appointment at the church of Christ in Moulton Sunday at both the eleven o'clock hour and the evening service; in the afternoon he is to preach at Fairfield. The public is invited to attend all services.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Kerby of Town Creek were visitors in Moulton on Tuesday; the citizens of Moulton are always glad to see these good folks in their midst.

The Moulton Civic Club plans to renew its efforts in beautifying the court yard and hopes at an early date to be instrumental in sodding the grounds around the curb.

Mrs. Dan Hightower was taken to the Benevolent Hospital at Albany on last Sunday for an operation for appendicitis, she is reported to be doing nicely.

Oscar Mackey underwent an operation at the Benevolent Hospital, Albany early in the week and is said to be getting on well.

Concrete fever has spread from the square to numerous homes around town, the latest cases being the completion of handsome steps and fronts at the homes of Mr. Herman Cowan and Mr. T. R. Alexander.

The completion of the stucco and concrete work at the county high school building will be made this week if favorable weather prevails.

The P. T. A. and high school people are planning to provide dinners Saturday at Field Day, at a reasonable cost, cafeteria fashion, for the hundreds who are expected to attend.

The Citizen's Bank has just completed a neat job of remodeling the offices occupied by Attorney R. L. Almon and Mr. Almon's office library and furnishings are being placed in order this week.

County court adjourned Tuesday after a brief session due in large part to illness of jurors and others.

Hurst Mauldin, assistant in the county high school, is ill with flu at his boarding place and may not be able to direct the athletic exercises at Field Day Saturday.

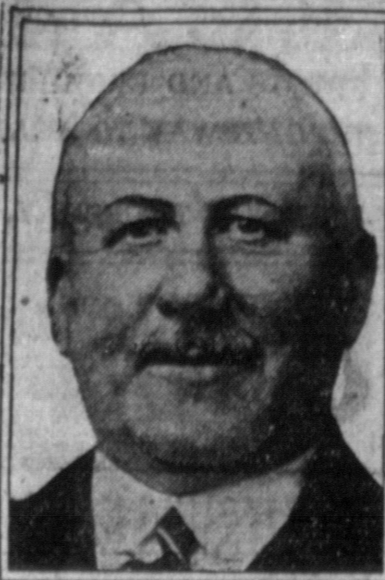
R. L. Lansdell of Town Creek was in Moulton Wednesday on business.

Frank Stevenson of Mt. Hope was a business caller in Moulton Monday.

Preuit Simms of Hartselle director of the Farm Bureau and Cotton Association for this district was in Moulton Monday.

S. L. Morrow formerly county agent; now of Morgan County was in Moulton Monday in the interest of sales on a new fertilizer distributor

In the News of the Day



LORD MEREWORTH



MRS. HARRY P. WHITNEY



WILLIAM GREEN



DONALD MACMILLAN

Lord Mereworth, Irish peer, recently installed in the House of Lords, defeated the Government by his first vote, holding that it should pay landowners of the Irish Free State \$30,000,000. Mrs. Harry Payne Whitney, returning from Europe, denies she snubbed Mr. and Mrs. Irving Berlin, explaining she did not attend their party because she was in mourning. William Green, president of the Federation of Labor, refused to be interviewed by non-union reporters in Boston. Donald MacMillan, explorer, plans another trip to Labrador to prove that Norsemen discovered America.

he has patented with his brother.

The county directors and numerous members of the Farm Bureau met on Monday for their regular monthly meeting.

Russell Stevenson a successful farmer of Jemison between Mount Hope and Landersville was in Moulton on Monday.

Paul Jackson was among the many from Mount Hope in Moulton early in the week.

Miss Lydia Tidwell school supervisor, entertained her Sunday school class in the Baptist Sunday school rooms Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Going Windham and Luke Stewart spent Sunday with relatives in Decatur.

Mrs. W. A. Moles is at the bedside of her mother in Albany this week; her mother, Mrs. Claude Vaughn has been very ill from a relapse of flu.

The Alabama Blind Association in Birmingham has moved into their new home valued at \$25,000, a Christmas present from E. M. Elliott, a well known Methodist layman.

BIRTH

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Evitt Martin March 1st a son, Evitt Tidwell Martin.

Why Mr. N. Windsor (R. I.) Put Up with Rats for Years

"Years ago I got some rat poison, which nearly killed my fine watch dog. We put up with rats until a friend told me about Rat-Snap. It surely kills rats, though house pets won't touch it." Rats sky up and leave no smell. Price, 25c, 50c, \$1.25. Sold and guaranteed by

CADDELL DRUG CO.

PALE, NERVOUS

West Virginia Lady Says That She Was in a Serious Condition, But Is Stronger After Taking Cardui.

Huntington, W. Va.—"I was in a very weak and run-down condition—in fact, was in a serious condition," says Mrs. Fannie C. Bloss, of 1964 Madison Avenue, this city.

"In my left side the pain was very severe. It would start in my back and sides. Part of the time I was in bed and when up I didn't feel like doing anything or going anywhere.

"Life wasn't any pleasure. I was very pale. I was nervous and thin, and so tired all the time.

"My druggist told me that Cardui was a good tonic for women and I bought a couple of bottles. I took two bottles, then I noticed an improvement. I kept on and found it was helping me. I have taken nine bottles. I'm stronger now than I have been in a long time."

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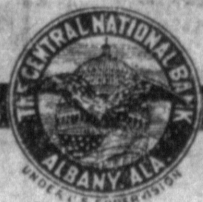
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Schrimsher Given Good Promotion

Bob Schrimsher, who has been employed by the Alabama Water company here several months, has gone to Jasper, Ala., where he will become manager of the Jasper operations of the company.

The transfer is a splendid promotion for Mr. Schrimsher and his many friends here congratulate him because of it, while regretting the necessity for removal to another city.

LONDON—Elizabeth Hines, the American actress who created the

leading role in "Little Nellie Kelley" in New York, has been engaged by Charles B. Cochran as one of his leading ladies. She will begin her work in England at Manchester March 17, in a new revue which Mr. Cochran will produce there preparatory to bringing it to London to replace "Still Dancing." "Still Dancing" in which Alice Delysia is the star, will be transferred to New York.

April 6 has been designated by Governor Brandon as Decoration Day and all citizens have been called upon to observe the day by fitting tribute to the deeds and memory of the American soldier.

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12 Years Ago From the Daily of TODAY

Examiner Wood is holding a conference this morning at Decatur city hall, relative to the Hitt Line's petition for a through rate.

Captain Kolb spoke to a fairly large crowd last night in the Masonic theatre.

Paul Crawford has opened a Buick automobile agency here.

J. B. Bush is confined to his home with an attack of mumps.

Mrs. Eugene R. Guy was hostess to the Priscilla club Tuesday afternoon at the home of her mother, Mrs. Tennis Lampkin.

"Garrett for president." That isn't such a bad idea, after all.

Harness the hot air in the senate, and there will be no need for development of Muscle Shoals.

We must take our coats off for the industrial drive but we must take the band off our pocketbooks at the same time.

There are said to be several hundred separate and distinct organizations in the Twin Cities. But did it ever occur to you, that of this large number, there is but one devoted solely to the commercial and industrial advancement of Albany and Decatur? And it might be well, it might be to add that this organization has a membership of less than 25. Can we expect to grow as rapidly as we should when this condition exists? Think it over. Can you not realize that this condition hampers every citizen, regardless of whether you own property or not, have a wealth of material things, of none at all? If you want a big city here, it can be built, but it never will be built without an awakening in public spiritedness?

CHAMP PICKENS RESIGNS PLACE AS PUBLICITY DIRECTOR OF U. OF A.

The announcement from Tuscaloosa that Champ Pickens has resigned his position as publicity director of the University of Alabama will cause regret all over the state. Pickens is not entirely responsible for the fame which has come to Alabama the past few years, but Pickens certainly played an important part in bringing Alabama's scholastic and athletic representatives to the attention of the world at large. He never overlooked an opportunity to boost Alabama and, as a result of his own advertising efforts, the merit of the school itself, and the success of its athletic teams, Alabama today is one of the best known institutions of learning on the face of the globe. No intimation is given why Pickens leaves the service of the school, except that he plans to devote his time to business. No one can blame him for his decision, but it is unfortunate, indeed, that he could not have remained a while longer at the University, at least. His passing marks the first break in the coterie which has brought Alabama up from the depths of the athletic world to the very top of the heap. Alabama will not find it easy to replace him with a publicity agent of equal talent.

ALABAMA OBTAINS LION'S SHARE OF FEDERAL BUILDING FUND

Alabama has no disposition to "crow" over the other Southern States because, out of a total of \$25,000,000 appropriated by congress for Southern development, this state obtained a total of approximately \$16,000,000. Yet, citizens of Alabama cannot be blamed for feeling unusually good over the turn of events, not that we are glad the other states only obtained \$9,000,000, but over the fact that we did obtain nearly twice that much.

Other Southern States may take what consolation they can from the attitude that perhaps Alabama needed the money more acutely than did our neighbors. If it makes them feel better, in fact, we might admit such a charge, for Alabamians do recognize their own short-comings.

Alabamians realize that for many years this state lagged behind the procession. While other Southern states went forward rapidly, we went forward slowly. Alabamians seemed content to be followers, instead of leaders. That day, however, has passed. Alabama is not content with any position but one of leadership. Realizing the fact that this state has the handicap of many lazy years to overcome, the people of Alabama have plunged into work and the results of their labors are being seen.

The past five years have brought the expenditure of nearly \$25,000,000 on good roads in this state, including among the number of bridges already finished and underway, a bridge across the Tennessee river here; the past five years have brought the completion of Wilson Dam, greatest dam of its kind in the world; the beginning of the development of the Port of Mobile, at a cost of \$10,000,000; innumerable big and little industries all over the state; the amazing growth of the Birmingham district with millions on millions being poured into that community every year for further development of that

storehouse of nature; the greatest period of advance in agriculture the South has ever known.

Those are the things we have done, and are doing for ourselves, and, as nothing succeeds like success, the federal government is helping to accomplish them.

McADOO AND SMITH MAY LEAVE THE FIELD OPEN FOR SOME OTHER CANDIDATE

Word comes from David Ladd Rockwell, manager of the campaign of William Gibbs McAdoo in the last Democratic national campaign and convention, that McAdoo will not be a candidate again for the nomination, unless Governor Al Smith also seeks the honor. Inasmuch as Governor Smith already has declared his intention to retire from politics at the expiration of his present term as chief executive of New York state, the deadlock in the democratic ranks appears well on the way to being broken and the path cleared for a wholehearted and determined fight for the election of a democratic president. Provided, of course, that Governor Smith means what he says and that Mr. Rockwell is authorized to speak in behalf of Mr. McAdoo.

"Democrats of the Middle West, West, South-west and Northwest are inclined to take Governor Smith at his word," said Judge Rockwell. "He is quoted in his home papers here in New York to the effect that he will retire from politics at the end of his term as Governor and devote his energies to earning a competence for his family. In view of the circumstances that seems a reasonable thing for him to do, as he no doubt is tired of the political game."

"If, however, the pressure should cause him to change his mind and become a candidate in the 1928 convention, then another deadlock would ensue, for William G. McAdoo's friends would rally for him and the alignment of delegates would be somewhat like that at Madison Square Garden two years ago. Mr. McAdoo is not a candidate for the nomination and the only thing that might bring about his entrance into the battle for first place on the ticket would be a nationwide campaign by the Smith-Brennan forces for the nomination of Governor Smith as the standard bearer."

The retirement of the two contenders for the nomination in the New York convention means much to democratic success. As able as their adherents believe them to be, neither stood much of a chance of being elected, even if nominated, in view of the bitterness which marked the sessions of the convention. With both out of the way, there is a possibility that the democratic voters may find some man on whom they can unite their strength. There are not enough democratic voters to elect a candidate unless their ranks are augmented by large blocs of dissatisfied republicans and independents, or their strength is made more potent by a division in the ranks of the rock-ribbed republicans.

Democrats cannot hope to obtain outside help, unless they present a solid front themselves. The decisions of Governor Smith and Mr. McAdoo will be welcomed by democrats everywhere.

COTTON MARKET STILL DROPPING; IT IS TIME TO LOOK AT THE FUTURE

With the price of cotton continuing to drop off slightly and the farmers of the South on the eve of another planting season, it is well that serious consideration is being given to the question of acreage for the 1926 crop.

The Daily believes sincerely that if the cotton association of the farm bureau were to be given the greater part of the crop to market, that the farmers could retain control of the market, and thereby take a long step toward obtaining a fair price for the staple. The association, however, lacks a great deal of being a controlling factor and the cotton planter, as a result, is beset by two influences which give him more grief than happiness, namely the speculative influence and the law of supply and demand.

At this time there looms no good way to handle the speculator, and no way whatever to regulate the demand, but the farmers can, if they desire, have much to do with the supply.

Many good authorities are urging that the cotton acreage be reduced this season. In fact, some of them go so far as to predict dire things for the South unless it is reduced. Perhaps these calamities will not come to pass. At least no one is positively assured they will, yet, isn't it good business to watch carefully this year's crop?

If a merchant was faced with an overcrowded condition in his stockroom, he would attempt to clear out some of the stock he had, before he began to load up again. The same principle, applied to the cotton industry, would cause a substantial reduction in planting this spring. The Daily does not desire to be put in the attitude of advising the farmer how his affairs should be handled, but The Daily does believe that it is nothing short of good business to think this situation over carefully before planting a crop as big as last year, or larger.

In connection with the outlook, the Birmingham News recently published the following editorial opinion, which might aid farmers in arriving at a decision:

Foreign and domestic cotton markets report no extraordinary demand for the textile; and as a result of a listless demand and unsettled weather reports incident to the beginning of planting time, neither the bulls nor the bears seem keenly disposed to force the market up or down. Pending the moment when more shall be known about acreage for the coming season, there will probably be no marked change in the present watchful waiting attitude of the trade.

Cotton prices have held remarkably well through the past season. If the facts about the final size of the crop had been anticipated last September, there would have been no fighting chance for the Southern farmer to sustain prices very long above the 20-cent figure for middling. The truth was revealed slowly, and every increase of estimate made by the department of agriculture was furiously denied and contested by a South which didn't really know, until December, within a million and a half bales how much cotton actually had been raised.

Now with a substantial carry-over assured, the only sensible, conservative and safe thing for Southern planters is to cut the acreage planted to cotton last year fully 25 per cent. That is the advice of the Memphis convention. It is the policy of wisdom.

Naturally there will be many farmers who will disregard the advice looking to the common welfare of this greatest Southern industry. And to dissipate this habit of the old years indulged in by farmers who sought to ride to prosperity on the shoulders of those who tried honestly to stick to the group agreements, the various county farmers' organizations should give the widest possible publicity to the unusually delicate situation that exists. If the South plants cotton abundantly this year, the agricultural regions are in for hard times. If during the present year more cotton is raised than can be absorbed by the domestic and foreign trade, there's nothing under heaven that can prevent a long decline—one that conceivably could find cotton established on a middling level much closer to 15 cents than to 20 cents, and perhaps infinitely lower.



A trombone player is the only fellow who ever gets anywhere by letting things slide.

When there are silver threads among the gold, it doesn't mean anything except that the henna didn't work.

"Let me call you sweetheart," said the fellow asking for a date.

The saddest words
Of Ruth and Lizzie
Are just these four
"The line is busy."

An advocate of preparedness frequently neglects to fill his fountain pen.

"This is another of Life's dirty jokes," said the burglar when he opened a safe and found only the Dumbbell Number of that famous humorous publication.

Consideration for the old gets little consideration from the young.

Blow to the Community
Local residents will regret to learn that Leonard Sternhagen had a narrow escape from death while hunting.—Chilton, Wis., Independent.

The new schoolmaster spied the three-legged stool.
"Is this the dunce block?" he asked a pretty little child.
"I guess so," said she with a lip, "that's where the teacher sits."

Current Fiction
"Excuse me."
"I beg your pardon."
"Be sure and come to see us."
"I've had a lovely time."
"We've never had a cross word since we've been married."
"I'll pay you this tomorrow sure."
"I'd rather have my Ford than your big car."
"I'd trust my husband anywhere."
"Oh, it's no trouble at all."
"It isn't the money; it's the principal of the thing."
"I just finished the last quart I had of old man."

"Is your husband fond of home cooking?"
"Oh, yes, we always dine at a restaurant that makes a specialty of it."

The town chicken fancier is a person who pays the grocer a fancy price for poultry and eggs.

Embrace opportunities and succeed; hug delusions and fail.

"Pa," said Clarence, "what do they mean by nursing a grudge?"
"That's what a wife does when her husband is home sick," snapped ma.

They say to strike while the iron is hot. Good advice, but first be sure you have the right iron.

Howdy, Si.
Under this rock
Lies Silas Durley
His wife came back
A week too early.

The two things most plentiful are trouble and advice to farmers.

Good figures don't lie in the water long at a time.

Getting money may not bring happiness, but it brings more than losing it does.

Death is the only blessing in which all will share.

Belle Mina Mooresville News

James Porter Bibb was a visitor to Nashville recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Witt and R. C. Bibb motored to Athens Sunday for a few hours visit with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. John Yarbrough have returned to their home in Florence after a several days visit to Mr. John R. Witt.

Mrs. B. N. Bibb is ill at the home of her daughter Mrs. T. Z. Bailey in Albany.

R. L. Hundley and Watkins Bradley were in Athens Monday on business.

Sam Roberts was in the Twin cities Tuesday.

The South Limestone Farm Bureau has shipped a carload of cotton to Huntsville.

ACTINIC RAYS OF SUN NOT DANGEROUS

Authority Holds That It Is the Heat Rays Which May Cause Sunstroke, and Not the Ray's Chemical Action.

By ROYAL S. COPELAND, M. D.
United States Senator from New York.

Former Commissioner of Health, New York City.

ONE of my correspondents sends the following quotation from a newspaper article and asks me to comment on it:

"Sunlight pouring down on the hatless head means a constant bombardment by these actinic rays that penetrate the skull, affect the brain, and in tropical countries actually produce death, eventually."

"Here in the milder countries the constant exposure of the head to sunlight is damaging in the extreme."

"Sunlight is good for all parts of the body except the head, in which the brain resides. That needs protection."

I have great respect for the "actinic rays," the chemical rays. They are the ones which develop the photographer's plate, sunburn the skin, and do lots of other striking things. They are powerful rays, but I do not believe their "bombardment" of the head is any more near as dangerous as this article would indicate.

In summer weather the heat rays are so powerful that the brain may be seriously affected by them if the head is unprotected. In my old hospital days I used to see any number of cases of sunstroke, but I am confident it was the heat and not the chemical rays which did the harm.

It must be borne in mind that the actinic rays are just about as active in cold weather as in the hot days of summer. If they were to be feared in the heated season, they would be almost as much to be dreaded all the year around.

I can hardly understand why an occasional man makes a fad of going without a hat. I have two or three friends who do this habitually. One is called "Sunshine" because his face beams like the sun. He never hides from college boys who are apt to go without their hats. If some of them are as poor as I was it is for economy's sake.

Some folks go without hats because they think the sunlight will stimulate the growth of the hair. About all it does to the hair is to fade it.

Baldness is due, in most instances at least, to poor circulation. The heart does not send the blood in forceful stream to the most distant parts of the body. The hands and feet are cold and the blood vessels of the scalp are supplied in a stingy manner.

Hats do not make or promote baldness unless they are too heavy and too tight. In both of these cases the blood vessels are pressed upon and the feeble blood current is cut off almost entirely.

You may wear a hat in safety if your dealer will permit you to select a light one of ample size. Having purchased it, don't pull it down on your head as if you were a pick-pocket under pursuit.

Don't be afraid of the kind old sun. Unless he is on a rampage of heat, his rays will not harm you. Consult the newspaper feature service for correct facts.

TODAY

BY ARTHUR BRISBANE
(Continued from page one)

gold," and be more than ever determined through the World Court, to relieve him of that gold.

LADY CYNTHIA MOSELEY. genuine British title, went to Chicago, where her grand-father, Levi Leiter earned dry goods money that enriched her father, Lord Curzon. This unusual lady declined invitations to dine, from perfectly good Chicago millionaires, possessing correct "Chicago social positions," and went to Hull House, where poor people made welcome.

Then she went on to Milwaukee to call on Victor Berger, Socialist leader and only Socialist member of Congress. Lady Cynthia is a "Socialist, Laborite."

SURELY Washington will not take this "lying down." Some 100 per cent red blooded American official will arrange to have Lady Cynthia Moseley sent to Ellis Island and deported.

There must be something "dangerous to our institutions" about a woman who prefers Victor Berger the Socialist, to a dinner with gold plates in the house that Potter Palmer built, on Chicago's "gold dust."

The world has been much explored since and before the days of Marco Polo and the exploring goes on. Ten expeditions are about to start for the Polar regions some to find the pole again, others to seek new lands and perhaps oil, gold, etc., others go in the interest of science.

In Canada frozen roads are packed with gold seekers defying the temperature fifty degrees below zero in a new gold rush, gold seekers, mushing in dog sleds to the new strike where "gold is showing over a stretch of country five miles in length, with good ground still unstaked." It won't remain unstaked long. Say "gold" and people move as when you cry "fire."

SPOKESMEN for the Methodist Episcopal church call Governor Al Smith, of New York, supposed to be a candidate for the presidency on a "wet" platform, responsible for the nation-wide attack on prohibition. The Methodist gentlemen exaggerate Governor Smith's influence. In New Mexico, where the



DR. COPELAND

Answers to Health Queries

MRS. H. E. Q.—What causes aching feet and swollen ankles?

A.—Arch troubles, due to over exertion, such as long standing might be responsible. See your doctor and have him advise you.

D. V. Q.—Will—applied to the face for the removal of blackheads prove injurious to the skin.

A.—Since I am not familiar with the preparation I cannot advise you about it. Proper attention to the diet and keeping about satisfactory results. For full particulars send a self addressed, stamped envelope and repeat your question.

J. W. N. Q.—Would you advise injections of iron and arsenic for a patient suffering from a slight ulceration of the stomach and general weakness?

A.—If your doctor has advised these injections be guided by his judgment. It is never wise to take any drug or medicine for any purpose whatsoever unless they have been specifically prescribed.

MISS F. W. Q.—What would you suggest to improve the growth of the nails? (2)—What is good for frost-bitten toes?

A.—If the general health is good, the nails and hair will take care of themselves without other aid. Improve your health. (2)—For full particulars on this subject send a self addressed, stamped envelope and repeat your question.

average man never heard of Governor Smith, an Albuquerque newspaper is taking a poll on prohibition and shows that the people of that state, three to one in favor of a change in the law.
In Wisconsin a poll shows ten to one for modification.

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OBITUARY

In Memory of L. J. Whitley

Two years since the shadows fell that darken our home; Since your sweet spirit winged its flight to its beautiful home beyond the stars, how desolate is our home.

Standing beside the mound that holds so little and yet so much, in anguish we ask why it is so. Our longing hearts leap forward at the thought that each day brings us nearer to the Journey's end; When all things will be made clear, then we'll know why and rejoice that it is so.

Safe in the arms of Jesus, you crossed to the other side. Beckoning us onward and upward over Life's changing tide.

Four hundred new members or more were added to the roster of the Montgomery American Legion following a two weeks campaign for new members.

Huntsville is hoping for a new depot following an expansion program recently announced by the Southern Railway.

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SOCIETY

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SOCIAL CALENDAR

FRIDAY

Community Board meeting 3 p. m. Y. M. C. A.
D. A. R. 3 p. m. Mrs. W. C. Bailey.
Mothers Club 3 p. m. Mrs. J. L. Proctor.
Canal Street Rook Club.
Friday Thirteen.

SATURDAY

Saturday Club, 2:30 p. m. Mrs. W. C. Bailey.
Bridge affair for Mrs. Preutt given by Mrs. Fred Preutt.

PROGRESSIVE CULTURE CLUB ELECTS OFFICERS

The Progressive Culture club convened at the home of Mrs. John D. Wyker in business session this morning at ten o'clock to elect an executive board for 1926-27, with this result:

For president, Mrs. S. A. Lynne.
First Vice President, Mrs. F. F. Tidwell.
Second Vice President, Mrs. M. S. Broadus.
Recording Secretary, Mrs. George D. Williamson.
Corresponding Secretary, Mrs. W. R. Shelton.
Treasurer, Mrs. B. Crawford.
Referee, Mrs. E. C. Payne.

BIRTHDAY PARTY

Mrs. R. A. Worley entertained on Wednesday afternoon at her home on Grant street honoring her little daughter, Marjory Seamans, on her sixth birthday. The living and dining rooms of the home were thrown together for the occasion and here the little tots were amused with games dear to their hearts. The home was profusely decorated with gift flowers, pink predominating as that was the color motif used during the afternoon.

The feature of the affair was the fish pond in which Miss Perry Finck and Carolyn Worley assisted the little guests in drawing the numbers. Sarah Neville and Charles Eyster held the lucky numbers, the former receiving a Kewpie doll and the latter a kite.

Pink streamers were arranged from the chandelier to the table which had as its central ornament the birthday cake that was decorated with pink roses and six burning candles. This cake was cut and served with ice cream at the close of the afternoon and those receiving the lucky slices were Elizabeth Pirtle who got the thimble, William Eyster, the button and Charles Eyster, the dime, Miss Helen Rauschenberg presided over the register the following names of the little guests were written: Frank-Ragin King, Ellis Ruane, Jr., Mary Frances Rauschenberg, Sarah Neville of Trinity, Willard Bethany, Nancy Lee Carter, Marjory, Mildred and Johnny Hannigan, Betsy Townsend, Mary Lou Krunkle, Herbert Hedges, J. O. Colvard, David Speake Warren, Raymond Ross, Elizabeth Ann Humphrey, Marjory Wilder, Marjory Goforth, Munsy McGlathery, Miriam Jane Brittain, Peggy and Paul Brown Frank Lee Chenault, Charles and William Eyster, Bobby and Virginia Schrimsher, Marian Ann Schimmie, Bill Pappenberg, Nella Dean Sheets, Bobby Strother, Jack Thomas, Ruth Nelson, Rebecca and Harriett Lide, Tommy Carson of Atlanta Ga., Ruth Nelson, Elizabeth Pirtle and Jun'or Summer.

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COTACCO LITERARY CLUB, EDUCATION DAY PROGRAM

A most delightful meeting of the Cotacco Literary Club was held on Wednesday afternoon when Mrs. E. R. Wolfe was hostess at her home on Johnston street. The interior of the home was unusually attractive on this occasion, potted plants being used with cut flowers to brighten it.

Mrs. J. T. Nelson presided over the business session and reports were given by the various committees. Roll call was responded to with current events. The club collect was read by Mrs. W. H. Winton.

Education day was observed with an appropriate program, the principal feature of which was an address by N. F. Greenhill, superintendent of the Albany schools. He took as his subject for a very interesting and instructive talk, "Education." A piano solo by Miss Lois Walsh was beautifully rendered. "Famous Women of Scotland," a splendid paper prepared by Mrs. Ike Scheer was read by Mrs. J. D. Bush after which a reading by Mrs. Arwin Draper was a fitting conclusion to this program.

A social hour was enjoyed when Mrs. Wolfe served delicious refreshments.

Mrs. E. C. Burch and Miss Gladys Burch, of Moulton and Miss Nell Voelkel of Huntsville are guests at the Hotel Lyons.

Mrs. Nell Birdsong has returned from a visit to Pulaski, Tenn.

BRIDGE CLUB

Mrs. R. G. Cortner entertained the Married Ladies Bridge Club on Wednesday with one substitute, Mr. A. E. Humphrey who was presented a souvenir.

The club prize was awarded to Mrs. Cortner.

YOUNG PEOPLE'S MISSIONARY SOCIETY

The Young People's Missionary society of the Central Methodist church met on Wednesday afternoon with Miss Lucille Breeding at her home on East Moulton street.

Mrs. A. W. Reams, leader, called the meeting to order in the absence of the president, with the reading of the Devotional which was followed by a number of prayers. Miss Mattie Masterson then gave a most interesting report of the Conference that she attended in Athens in February and this was very much enjoyed. A short business session included only routine affairs.

They adjourned the meeting with the Lord's prayer for a social hour with their oysters. Delicious refreshments were passed to those present including Misses Lottie Lovin, Lucella Masterson, Mattie Masterson, Flora Howell, Ruth Chunn, Aliene Draper, Evelyn Lee, Margery Spencer, Dorothy Leopard, Mary Stroud, Claudia Thombs, Katherine Hunter, Sally Mae Hames and Mrs. A. W. Reams.

PARTY FOR BRIDE

Mrs. Ethridge Adams, a recent bride, was the inspiration for a lovely afternoon bridge affair that occurred on Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. Rufus Peerson entertaining in her honor. The living room of the hostess' home on East Lafayette street was a bower of flowers, with the baskets of yellow jonquils and white hyacinths suggesting the Easter color scheme of yellow and white that was carried out further in the refreshments and favors. The latter were yellow baskets filled with candies of the same hues and on one side a fluffy chick was perched.

Mrs. Joe Woods received the prize for top score and it was a pretty vanity. Mrs. Ellis Ruane cut the consolation gift, a deck of cards, and the honored guest received as a souvenir, a set of silver spoons.

A delicious salad course was served then to those accepting Mrs. Peerson's hospitality. They were Miss Christine Almon, Mrs. Elmer Loyd, Mrs. H. L. Peterson, Mrs. Ellis Ruane, Miss Marjory Pointer, Mrs. Roy Wyatt, Mrs. Joe Woods, Mrs. S. E. Patterson, Mrs. Fred Preuit, Miss Elizabeth Houston and Mrs. Ernest Morrow.

BRIDGE PARTY FOR VISITORS

Mrs. Charles Rush will entertain at bridge on Friday afternoon to compliment her house guest, Mrs. Reasonover at Greensboro, Ala.

W. C. T. U. MEETING POSTPONED

The W. C. T. U. meeting scheduled for Friday afternoon of this week has been postponed the date and place of meeting to be announced later.

B. Y. P. U. COUNCIL MEETING

The City B. Y. P. U. Workers Council met on Tuesday at the Central Baptist church with song and prayer opening the session.

Reports were given from the general organization by Bill Stannibal and Miss Madeline Dix. The study course to be given next week was then discussed and also problems of several leaders were solved.

Mrs. E. R. Guy is recuperating from a weeks illness.

J. S. Patterson has gone to Natchez Miss., to attend the Golden Wedding Anniversary of his sister, Mrs. Louis Goldberger and Mr. Goldberger which will take place this week.

Paul Johnson left this week for Atlanta, Ga., where he has accepted a position.

Little Miss Frances Cowden is ill at her home with gripe.

William Houston, of Birmingham, is a visitor in the Twin Cities. Mr. Houston is plant chief of the Southern Bell Telephone Co.

J. C. Cain of near Somerville was in the cities today on business. Mr. Cain has numbers of friends here who will be pleased to learn that he is practically recovered from an attack of influenza.

Mr. and Mrs. Hunkapillar have returned to their home in Mt. Hope, after spending a few days with their daughter, Mrs. Harry Dickey.

Mrs. Claude Godwin has returned from a four weeks visit to Winterhaven, Fla.

Robert McDonald has been very ill with flu.

Mrs. Ida Byars and daughters, Anne and Josie of Moulton were guests this week of Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Vard.

Floyd Mooney has returned from Birmingham where he was the guest of his brother.

Mr. and Mrs. Rogers and children of Moulton spent Tuesday here with friends.

Miss Mary Wallace Smiley who has been ill with influenza this week is improving.

Mrs. S. E. Arvidson is recovering from an attack of flu.

Mrs. W. P. Stewart returned last night from a visit to Atlanta, Ga.

Mrs. Etoile Caldwell of Birmingham will be the guest this week of Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Cortner.

Mrs. John McGehee is ill with flu.

Mrs. T. M. Jones Jr., is confined to her bed with an attack of influenza.

Mrs. J. H. Brannum left this morning for a few days visit to Birmingham.

Mrs. George Wallace and Mrs. Alan Wallace have returned from a short visit to Birmingham.

Miss Eleanor Harrison is in Birmingham.

Mrs. Annie Christian is ill at her home suffering an attack of influenza.

Mrs. L. H. Wilson and son Edwin L. Wilson of New York, who were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Bradley during the past week and who left for Chattanooga on Monday were the recipients of many social compliments while visiting here. A visit was made to Huntsville the old home of Mrs. Wilson, following a luncheon given by Miss Katherine Parsons at her home on east Moulton street. The party made the trip overland to Huntsville, by way of Athens, returning to take the afternoon train for Chattanooga. Mr. Wilson expects to return here in the summer.

Music Lovers of This Section Will Enjoy Treat In Seeing 'Bohemian Girl'

The interest shown by the music lovers of Albany-Decatur is very noticeable in the intense enthusiasm with which the appearance here of this popular opera is being received. Manager Ratliff feels confident a capacity business will greet Miss Valentine and her excellent organization, when they appear at the Princess Monday night, especially inasmuch as his effort to arrange the very lowest prices obtainable on such an organization, were finally agreed to. When one stops to consider a production of such magnitude, presenting an all star cast of principals, orchestra of symphonic players, and one of the greatest singing choruses ever brought to this city it is not hard to understand the conviction of the knowing ones. Miss Valentine will personally conduct.

Advice to Girls

—By Annie Laurie—

DEAR ANNIE LAURIE:
I am deeply in love with a girl. I went out with her for a year, then she said we could be friends no longer. Still I love her. I received a letter from her, but can't believe she cares much for me. What would you do?
TROUBLED: If this young lady has written you, it is an indication of her interest in you. And you ought to take advantage of this renewed interest. Answer her letter and invite her out or ask permission to call. And when you meet you can better judge what her attitude toward you is.

Dear Annie Laurie:
I am a girl 18 years of age and have been going with a boy for a year and a half. We have been engaged for about five months. We do not object to each other going with other people, I do not like it, but I do not want him to think that I am jealous. I have been going with another boy lately who says that I am the only girl he loves, he is very sweet to me when he is with me, but when we get with others he seems to forget me and goes with another girl. He then tells me how pretty he thinks she is and how sweet she is. I go with others and he does not let on, but I know it makes him mad. Give me your advice.

Susie:
It seems that if you were fair to the boy to whom you are engaged that you would either break the engagement with him, or forget the other boy. You have made a pledge to a young man and you should not be bothered seriously about the actions of the whims of another.

John Brasier is ill at his home with flu.

Mrs. A. R. McCutcheon who has been ill for sometime is improving.

An Announcement

That Interests the Public

Mr. Nathan Pryor, experienced in the repair of every make of car, is now in charge of our repair shop, and will continue to give efficient service to the general public.

If the old car's quit running, don't sit back and cuss. Go to the nearest telephone and call Decatur 33. Our service men will soon clear up your disposition.

LEIGEBER MOTOR CO

116-118 Church Street

Decatur, Ala.

FOR RESULTS USE DAILY WANT ADS

COMPANIONS

There will be a convocation of Decatur Council No. 81, Royal and Select Master at 7 p. m., Friday, March 5, in the K. of H. Hall, Decatur, Ala.

At 8:15 p. m. all Chapter Masons are invited to attend a lecture delivered by R. L. Howard, Grand Captain of Guard of the Grand Council of the State.

E. R. HUMPHREY,
Thrice Illustrious Master

Now Is The Time

To get that electric toaster



This is electric toast month and we are making a special effort to let everybody in on the benefits of electric toast.

Once you have eaten toast made on this fine electric toaster you will never feel that breakfast is complete without your toast.

Toast can be made right at the table and eaten while still warm and delicious. Golden brown toast is healthful and gives you plenty of energy to start the day right and keep going at full steam until luncheon.

Toast Is Good For Many Occasions

Not only at breakfast can this toaster be used but for the children's lunch it will be very handy. Children will have their appetites appeased at noon or after school by appetizing toast sandwiches and have surplus energy for their work or play of the afternoon.

And for that bridge luncheon or midnight supper, toast sandwiches will satisfy. The convenience and speed of this electric toaster will be appreciated on such occasions.

Alabama Power Company

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SEASON'S SOCIETY AND MUSICAL EVENT

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No superior or similar musical organization will appear in this city during the present season.

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Special prices for this engagement only.

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DAILY WANT ADS ARE NOW ACCEPTED BY TELEPHONE

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Carrier subscribers residing in Albany or Decatur may now phone their want ads to The Daily office and carrier boy will collect. A collection fee of 5 cents per want ad is charged when phoned in.

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25 words or less, 1 time.....\$.25
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Classified advertisements received after 10:30 a.m. will not be published until the next day.

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It costs proportionately less and produces more.

FOLKS—I write that wind jamming insurance called tornado, also all kinds of fire insurance to protect the home, furniture, dresses, pants, nightcaps, mercantile stocks and personal chattels. J. A. Thornhill.

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Stable manure fertilizer. Phone Twin City Transfer company, Decatur 40. 5-1f.

FOR SALE—Windshields, any cars by C. E. Malone. 27-1f.

FOR SALE—At the Tennessee Valley Green house canneries, primroses, premulans, ferns, cymen, begonias, geraniums, jonquils, Can also take care of orders for funeral work. Also all kinds of porch box plants. Call Miss Lydia Rainey 206 W. Wilson Avenue, 295-J Decatur. 4-6f.

FOR SALE CHEAP—Euphonia inner-player piano made by the Cable Company, Chicago. In excellent condition and is priced right. Call Albany 72. 2-3f.

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Two sets of 3 rooms unfurnished, 4th avenue West; Also two sets of furnished rooms at my home 309 West Moulton St. Phone Albany 584-J. O. J. Thomas. 2-3f.

FOR RENT—Four room house, barn and well, few miles from town, on pike. With as much or as little land as desired. Suitable location for man working in shops. with automobile. Apply at Hughes & Tidwell.

FOR RENT OR SALE—Five room bungalow; modern conveniences; 202 6th ave. West, Decatur. Call Chas. Rountree, Rountree Lumber Co., Albany 103. 24-1f.

FOR RENT—5 room house, modern conveniences, 612 4th avenue West. Call at Schulman's Store. 4-3f.

WANTED

WANTED—Experienced bookkeeper with knowledge of office routine. Give references. Address "B" care the Daily. 16-1f.

WANTED—Lady to take orders in Albany and Decatur. Guarantee \$2.50 per day. Address M. K. care Decatur Daily. 4-3f.

WANTED—To know the whereabouts of R. G. Grant, Was in Birmingham Ensley in January the last. Any one knowing please write. Mrs. F. G. Grant, Albany, Ala. 4-3f.

MISCELLANEOUS

If you want to buy a good mule or some shop wood cut into blocks or rent a house on the Austinville pike or Fifth avenue South. Call J. H. Riddle, Phone No. 529-J Albany. 3-3f.

Bargains! Bargains!—We have special bargains in pianos and phonographs. Will sell on easy payments. New pianos from \$275 up. Second hand pianos from \$150 up. Phonographs from \$25 up. We sell music rolls and records. Call on us. We will sell you a baby grand for \$650. E. E. Forbes and Sons Piano Co., J. H. Callahan, Mgr. 405 Second avenue Albany Phone 197. 3-3f.

Galvanized roofing. All lengths. Right prices. Call us up. Quick deliveries and shipments. John D. Wyker & Son. 1-6f.

Market Reports

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POULTRY MARKET	
Hens	20 cents
Fries	20 to 22 cents
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Ducks	12 cents
Geese	10 cents
Eggs	20 cents
Cocks	7 cents
Guineas	20 cents each
Turkeys	20 cents

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BEWARE THE COUGH OR COLD THAT HANGS ON

Persistent coughs and colds lead to serious trouble. You can stop them now with Creomulsion, an emulsified crocote that is pleasant to take. Creomulsion is a new medical discovery with two-fold action; it soothes and heals the inflamed membranes and inhibits germ growth.

Of all known drugs, crocote is recognized by high medical authorities as one of the greatest healing agencies for persistent coughs and colds and other forms of throat troubles. Creomulsion contains, in addition to crocote, other healing elements which soothe and heal the inflamed membranes and stop the irritation and inflammation, while the crocote goes on to the stomach, is absorbed into the blood, attacks the seat of the trouble and checks the growth of the germs.

Creomulsion is guaranteed satisfactory in the treatment of persistent coughs and colds, bronchial asthma, bronchitis and other forms of respiratory diseases, and is excellent for building up the system after colds or flu. Money refunded if any cough or cold is not relieved after taking according to directions. Ask your druggist. Creomulsion Company, Atlanta, Ga. (adv.)

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

The State of Alabama

Morgan County
Under and by virtue of a mortgage executed to William E. Skeggs by John J. Prosser and wife Mary V. Prosser, bearing date, January 22nd, 1923, and recorded in the office of the Judge of Probate of Morgan County, Alabama, in Mortgage Record Vol. 806, page 28 on the 31st day of January, 1923, the undersigned William E. Skeggs will on Monday the 8th day of March 1926, in front of the Court house door in Decatur, Alabama sell for cash to the highest bidder within the legal hours of sale in conformity with terms and provisions of said mortgage the following described real estate situated in Albany, Morgan County, Alabama, to-wit:

Lot No. 5 (Five) with improvements thereon in Block No. 64 (Sixty-four) in addition No. 4 (four) of the Decatur Land Improvement and Furnace Company to Decatur, Alabama now situated in the city of Albany, Morgan County, Alabama, as shown by the plat of said company on file in the office of the Judge of Probate of said county. Dated this 11th day of February, 1926.

WILLIAM E. SKEGGS
Mortgagee

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

FOR SHERIFF

We are authorized to announce B. E. Isbell as a candidate for Sheriff of Morgan County, Ala., subject to the action of the democratic primary August 10th, 1926.

(Paid political advertising authorized by B. E. Isbell, Falkville, Ala.)

We are authorized to announce Asa M. Lentz as a candidate for Sheriff of Morgan County, Ala., subject to the action of the democratic primary, Aug. 10th, 1926.

(Paid political advertising, authorized by Asa M. Lentz, Decatur, Ala.)

We are hereby authorized to announce Tennis S. Sparkmar as a candidate for Sheriff of Morgan County, Ala., subject to the action of the democratic primary, August 10th, 1926.

(Paid political advertising authorized by Tennis S. Sparkmar, Austiaville, Ala.)

We are hereby authorized to announce B. E. Davis as a candidate for sheriff of Morgan County, Alabama, subject to the action of the democratic primary August 10, 1926.

(Paid political advertisement authorized by B. E. Davis, Falkville, Ala.)

FOR CIRCUIT SOLICITOR

We are hereby authorized to announce John E. McEachin as a candidate for Circuit Solicitor of the Eighth Judicial Circuit, subject to the action of the Democratic primary, August 10th, 1926.

(Paid political advertising, authorized by John E. McEachin, Huntsville, Ala.)

BOARD OF REVENUE

We are hereby authorized to announce the candidacy of Frank J. Davis for member of the board of revenue from first district of Morgan County, Alabama, subject to the action of the Democratic primary, August 10, 1926.

(Paid political advertising authorized by Frank J. Davis, Decatur, Ala.)

The Daily is authorized to announce the candidacy of W. B. McCulloch for the board of revenue, as representative from the first district, subject to the action of the Democratic primary August 10.

(Paid political advertising, authorized by W. B. McCulloch, Albany, Ala.)

FOR STATE SENATOR

To the Voters of Lawrence and Morgan Counties:

We are authorized to announce R. E. Coburn as a candidate for the office of State Senator from Lawrence and Morgan counties, subject to the action of the democratic primary, August 10, 1926.

(Paid political advertisement by R. E. Coburn, Courtland, Ala.)

TAX COLLECTOR

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for tax collector, Morgan County, subject to the action of the Democratic primary, August 10, Your vote and influence will be appreciated.

Hodges Crow.
(Paid political advertising authorized by Hodges Crow, Albany, Ala.)

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for tax collector of Morgan County, subject to the action of the democratic primary August 10, 1926. Your vote and influence will be appreciated. D. A. Slone.

(Paid political advertising authorized by D. A. Slone, Hartselle, Ala.)

We are hereby authorized to announce J. H. Hill as a candidate for the office of Tax Collector of Morgan county, subject to the action of the Democratic primary, August 10, 1926.

(Paid political advertisement, authorized by J. H. Hill, Albany, Ala.)

We are hereby authorized to announce John T. Kyle as a candidate for the office of tax collector of Morgan County subject to the action of the Democratic Primary, August 10, 1926.

(Paid political advertising authorized by John T. Kyle, Hartselle, Ala.)

We are hereby authorized to announce the candidacy of E. T. Giers for the office of Tax Collector, Morgan County, subject to the action of the Democratic Primary, August 10, 1926.

(Paid political advertising authorized by E. T. Giers, Valhermosa Springs Alabama.)

We are hereby authorized to announce A. M. Dunaway as a candidate for the office of Tax Collector, Morgan County, subject to the action of the democratic primary, August 10 1926.

(Paid political advertising authorized by A. M. Dunaway, Hartselle, Ala.)

STATE LEGISLATURE

We are hereby authorized to announce J. N. Powell, Falkville, Ala as a candidate for the state legislature from Morgan County, Ala., subject to the action of the democratic primary, August 10, 1926.

(Paid political advertising authorized by J. N. Powell, Falkville, Ala.)

TAX ASSESSOR

We are hereby authorized to announce the candidacy of Herman O. Troup for the office of tax assessor of Morgan county, subject to the action of the Democratic primary, August 10, 1926.

(Paid political advertising, authorized by Herman O. Troup, Albany, Ala.)

We are hereby authorized to announce the candidacy of C. C. Robertson for tax assessor of Morgan County, subject to the action of the democratic primary August 10. Your vote and influence will be appreciated.

(Paid political advertising authorized by C. C. Robertson, Albany, Ala.)

Takes Place of "Drastic" Calomel

FOR COLD, GRIPPE & FLU
Colds, gripe and flu always weaken the system and often lead to dangerous bronchial infection. Clear up these troubles at once with Pepsinated Calomel—a new and greatly improved calomel that does not tear through the system like a streak of lightning. It acts mildly without sickening or griping effect, for it is combined with pepsin which reduces the violence and improves its action.

This new Pepsinated Calomel has all the cold, gripe and flu, germ eliminating action of the old style "raw" calomel but the drastic and unpleasant effects have been entirely neutralized with pepsin. Sickening "follow up" salts are not even necessary.

People who are ill with cold, gripe flu or biliousness can get quick and complete relief with one or two Pepsinated Calomel tablets.

Sold by Dillehay Brothers and other drug stores in 25c and 50c packages or sent direct from laboratory on receipt of price. Pepsinated Calomel Co., Atlanta, Ga.—Adv.



Before Baby Comes

Wonderful! Gloriously wonderful! The achievement of Mother's Friend in relieving suffering incident to motherhood. Its benefits are amazing! Its soothing, relaxing qualities make the months before maternity comfortable. Yes, you can rub discomfort away with Mother's Friend! Mrs. John S. Herr, Mannheim, Pa., writes: "Mother's Friend did wonders for me. I can almost say my baby was born without pain."

Mother's Friend is the formula of an eminent physician and has been used by expectant mothers for over three generations. Mother's Friend is externally applied. It soothes the nerves and muscles as month follows month. Finally, it makes childbirth a joy!

Insist on Mother's Friend—the same as used by our mothers and grandmothers—don't wait—start using tonight—and meanwhile write Bradford Regulator Co., Dept. 30, Atlanta, Ga., for free valuable booklet "Motherhood and the Coming Baby" (sent in plain envelope). It tells how Mother's Friend can help you during expectancy and at childbirth. This booklet also tells you many other things you want to know. "Mother's Friend" is sold by all druggists—everywhere.

ARNOLD WAS PAID TO BETRAY COUNTRY

Letter Is Sold Years Later In This Country

(Associated Press)
NEW YORK, March 4—Benedict Arnold believed that had he been able to carry out his plans for the betrayal of America, the Revolutionary war would have been brought to an end favorable to the British and he so expressed himself in a letter written in 1783.

Little did the traitor think at the time he wrote Thomas Townsend "one of his Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State," asking that he and his officers in a provincial corps be put on the British establishment, that the communication later would be sold in America for \$3900.

The price, which was obtained at an American Art Gallery sale, was a record one and would have been a small fortune at the time Arnold was in dire need of funds.

Addressed as "The Memorial of Benedict Arnold," the letter follows:

"Humbly sheweth that your Memorialist influenced by sentiments of loyalty to the King and attachment to the British Constitution has sacrificed a handsome property in America and prospects that were extremely flattering, and at the most eminent hazard of his life co-operated with Sir Henry Clinton, Commander-in-Chief of the British Army in America, but his intentions and measures being discovered, before they could be brought to the happy issue which promised to put a favorable end to the War in America, he was so fortunate as to escape from the Americans, and having joined the British Army at New York he exerted himself in raising a Provincial Corps at a very great expense to himself, and officers, under the idea and promise that his Corps (called the American Legion), should be put on the establishment when completed. But having raised about our hundred men, his officers were, (for reasons unknown to him) prevented by the Commander in Chief from completing their numbers.

"Your memorialist begs leave to observe that a number of Provincial Corps (without any greater claim to merit than his, and other Corps) have been put on the British Establishment through the interest of their commanding officer.

"Your memorialist therefore prays in behalf of himself and officers, (most of whom are Americans who have sacrificed their property by joining the King's army) that you will be pleased to take his and their case into your consideration and he has the greatest confidence from the justness of his claim, that your interest will be used to have his Corps put on the British Establishment, that his officers may have some recompence for their exertions and the sacrifices which they have made, and that an adequate provision, by some appointment, or other reward may be made for his losses, and the sacrifices which he has made in promoting the interest of this country—and your Memorialist as in duty bound will ever pray."

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REAL ESTATE

List Your For Sale Real Estate
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B. D. MEADORS
Decatur, Ala.

LONDON—Plate glass insurance companies are not having any increased business as a result of the campaign launched by the Women's Freedom League to obtain the same franchise for women that men enjoy.

Mrs. Pethick Lawrence and Miss Ellen Wilkinson have addressed several meetings, and there is no indication that the brick throwing tactics of the Pankhursts are to be duplicated, although the meetings so far have been attended chiefly by old-time militant suffragettes.

Sandwich-board women, parades and open air meetings will figure in the campaign.

The younger women do not display the zeal which marked the work of the old pioneer suffragettes.

Women of Great Britain are not allowed to vote until they are thirty, while males may vote when they are twenty-one. Women are seeking to remove this discrimination.

Coleman Red Ash Cahaba	\$9.50
Jellico Lump	\$8.75
Jellico, medium size	\$8.50
Black Creek Lump	\$8.00
Black Creek, Egg	\$7.00

Dust Pan Free with every order

DECATUR ICE AND COAL CO.

Phone Decatur 39
Subscribe to Benevolent Hospital Fund

DELINQUENT TAX AND LICENSE NOTICE

CITY TAXES have been delinquent since January 1, 1926, and will soon be subject to advertisement.

CITY LICENSE for doing business is past due. All persons operating a business without license are subject to arrest.

LEE STREET STORM WATER SEWER ASSESSMENTS should be paid at once by all persons who have been notified and thereby enable the city to promptly pay all claims.

CITY OF ALBANY,
Henry Hartung, City Clerk.

BASEBALL AWAKES OVER STATE AS THE STOVE LEAGUE ENDS

Only Two Cities Are In
Class A Ball In
This State

TALK OF OTHER NEW FORMATIONS

Three Cities Of This
Section Talk Of
An Entrance

(Associated Press)

The present season of the Alabama State League is in its last days. With the coming of spring King Baseball is again about to ascend his throne. Players and fans alike all over the state are manifesting interest with much just here, indicating that baseball will come into its own again with maybe added interest.

The only two cities in the state in Class A organized baseball, Birmingham and Mobile, of the Southern League, are slated to start spring training this month, probably before another week is past. Both are planning on making a strong race for the pennant this year. Each has a strong program of exhibition games.

Montgomery is making an effort to enter organized baseball, of the Class B type, seeking admittance into the proposed Alabama-Florida and Georgia circuit.

Shelbyville is already a member of the Tri-State League and has begun formulating plans for a representative team.

A movement is on foot to form a circuit also in North Alabama. Huntsville and the Twin Cities, Albany-Decatur, have started plans for entrance into such a league, while others are said to be interested. President Martin of the Southern League is pushing this project.

Independent baseball is also gaining impetus. Many of the teams which play only three games a week and enter to college players are planning on putting out a team again this year as they did in 1925. Sylacauga always has a representative nine and this year is said to be no exception. The Alabama Power teams of Anniston and Birmingham have not started as yet, but plans are underway, it is reported.

City leagues in the larger towns, Birmingham, Mobile and Montgomery will again be in vogue with many teams clamoring for franchises in these places.

Tanner News

Born to Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Terry (nee Miss Maggie Sandlin) of Courtland, twin boys.

Mrs. L. S. Sandlin is visiting her daughter Mrs. Terry of Courtland.

We are sorry to learn the sad news of the death of little William White of Stewart's Cross Roads. He was the son of the late Sam White of Athens.

T. C. Eubank and son Thomas spent Sunday with Mrs. W. C. Eubank.

The Ladies Missionary society met last Monday afternoon at the parsonage. Mrs. Willie Page, president, opened the meeting with song and prayer. This was one of the best meetings of the year, there being twelve present, several subscribed for the missionary voice and books were ordered for a course of study.

Mrs. W. E. Stewart, Mrs. Page and Miss Alice King who attended the conference in Athens brought back a very inspiring message. Rev. Riddle closed the meeting with a word of prayer.

John Crouch passed away Tuesday, after a several week's illness. His death was not unexpected but was a shock to the neighborhood. Mr. Crouch was one of Tanner's best farmers and was liked by all who knew him. He was a member of the Methodist church. Funeral services were held at the residence, Rev. Riddle officiating. Interment was made in the family cemetery.

The farmers of this community were making good progress this week, sowing oats and preparing for the 1926 crop, but the weather seems to have stopped everything. The ground was frozen yesterday sufficiently to interfere with breaking. The ground-bog either saw his shadow, or must take down his sign.

Mrs. N. R. Nichols is recovering from a short illness.

J. L. Andrews and family went to



Old Newspaper Accounts Give An Idea of Early State Journalism

(Associated Press)

HEADLAND, Ala., March 4.—Items carried in newspapers here forty years ago vary somewhat from the trend of news of today, it was found recently by "The Wiregrass Farmer" a weekly issued here. The paper is a reprint of a copy of the Headland Progress, dated in 1886.

The controversy started when Mrs. Charles Adams Stringer turned in a number 39 years old, but a Mrs. Sporman retailed with a copy just one year older.

The latter copy of the Progress leads off with a lengthy editorial from the New York Star on "The Silver Dollar," which in those days was what evolution is today. A man was for free silver or he was a "Gold Bug" just as he is today a Fundamentalist or a Darwinite, with the exception of one want ad, the front page in its entirety, was filled with editorial matter clipped from exchanges. The one want ad said "Wanted, 5,000 bushels cow peas. W. S. Oates."

In this copy furnished by Mrs. Sporman on the second page, under the heading of Late State News, are to be found the following extracts:

"A bank is to be opened in Livingston by Brown and Brothers.

"Livingston and Sumpter counties go dry after the 30th of April next.

Corn is cheap in Fayette county. A few days ago a lot sold for 30 cents a bushel.

who may want to come in and read a copy of the rejected story will say that our office is just opposite the deepest hole on Second Avenue. When you fall in get out and fall in line.

Assuring you gentle readers, that I regret this little incident almost as much as you and trusting that if this comes to the attention of our Charles Daves he will see the error of his way and come up the back alley next time.

Yours very truly,
Jesse McWilliams Hatfield

Thanks Governor for Aid



GOVERNOR MOORE & TOMMY WAGGONER

A year ago Governor A. Harry Moore, of New Jersey, as chairman of the crippled kiddies' committee of the Jersey City Elks, raised money to get medical attention for Tommy Waggoner, eight, who seemed doomed to be a cripple. Tommy, the first day he was able to walk, took a train from Jersey City to Trenton to thank his benefactor.

FARM DEMONSTRATION NOTES

RYAN GIRLS 4-H CLUB

The Ryan Girls 4-H Club met Tuesday February 23rd at the school building. The following was the order of business.

Club was called to order by the President, Miss Jewell Crawford. Song and yell each being led by the song leader, Lois Briscoe and Lura Norton the respective leaders.

Roll call by the secretary, each member answered the roll with her report of work done since last meeting which was held in November. Most of the girls had dyed some article.

The song leader led the club in a song.

We adjourned with our club pledge to meet again Wednesday, March 3rd, to make up for the meeting which we lost in January.

Signed: Mildred Crawford, Sec.

The Falkville Home Demonstration club met Monday and Tuesday February 14th and 15th in a two days millinery course. By the kindness of Dr. Stringer we were able to have it in a down-town store building which was very convenient and comfortable. Miss Sallye Hamilton, County Home Demonstration Agent was in charge. Mrs. J. L. Patterson and Mrs. C. E. House, who took the course under Miss Eddy in Hartselle in January assisted with the work.

The course was quite a success. The work done by the club members surpassed all expectations. By 4:30 o'clock Tuesday afternoon many beautiful hats were ready for the exhibit.

As a result of the interest in hat making we have several new members wanting to come in. The club adjourned to meet the second Tuesday in March.

Signed: Mrs. W. M. Patterson, Sec.

The Danville Home Demonstration club met on January 28th at the school building.

The meeting was called to order at 1:30 o'clock, twelve members answering to roll call, four being absent. Four new members were added making a total of 20 members.

An interesting report of the millinery school held at Hartselle was given by Vice President, Mrs. Sandlin, after which a study of materials for hats was made by the club with the assistance of Miss Hamilton.

Cutting and piecing a true bias was demonstrated by Mrs. Sandlin and Mrs. Cleere, special emphasis was made in regard to the necessity of an absolutely true bias in millinery in order to obtain perfect results.

moved to the house formerly occupied by Rev. G. S. Stanson."

"Nearly everybody has or wants a pointer dog and at least two-thirds of us can't hit a buzzard flying."

"We regret to learn that a young son of Butler Kelley was badly burned one day last week while burning brush."

"Mr. J. C. Hardwick is selling fancy groceries cheap and he invites his friends to call on him and get his prices."

Weather	
Maximum	45
Minimum	22
River	7.5, falling

Polytinsky Plans Hartselle Gin

A Polytinsky, well known local resident, today announced plans for the construction of a new gin in Hartselle to cost approximately \$22,000. The gin will have eight gin stands, 80 saws to each, electric unloaders and a capacity of 150 bales per day.

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